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FOR THE AMBASSADOR

REFTELS REPORT CURRENT SAUDI F-5 TRAINING PROGRAM FOR
EGYPTIAN PILOTS AND DESIRE OF IRAN TO INSTITUTE SIMILAR
PROGRAM FOR EGYPTIANS. SECRETARY HAS INSTRUCTED ATHERTON,
DURING HIS FORTHCOMING VISIT TO SAUDI ARABIA DEC 19-20
AND CAIRO DEC 21 TO INFORM THOSE GOVERNMENTS THAT WE CANNOT
CONCUR IN THESE PROGRAMS AND WHY WE BELIEVE IT IS
BETTER FOR BOTH THEIR AND OUR LONG-TERM OBJECTIVES THAT
THE SAUDI PROGRAM BE DISCONTINUED AND THE PROPOSED IRANIAN
PROGRAM NOT GO FORWARD AT THIS TIME. DEPT WILL SEND

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INSTRUCTIONS TO TEHRAN CONTAINING TALKING POINTS FOR

INFORMING IRANIANS ON SUNDAY, DEC 21, BUT WE WANTED
AMBASSADOR EILTS AND HELMS TO HAVE THIS ADVANCE WORD SO
THEY WILL BE FOREWARNED IN THE EVENT EGYPTIANS AND
IRANIANS HEAR OF IT FROM SAUDIS BEFORE WE MAKE OUR
APPROACH. KISSINGER

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